

Social Happenings

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All social notes and items of social interest should be communicated to the editor before noon Wednesday to insure publication the following Friday.

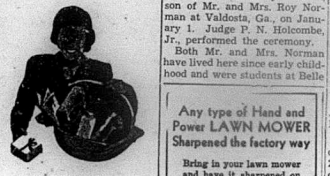
Friends of Mrs. R. Y. Creech, who had her house guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Martin of Commerce, Ga.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Henson were Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Alexander and Mrs. M. S. Sellers of Tampa. Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Sellers are Mrs. Henson's sister and mother respectively.

House guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Spence are Colonel and Mrs. Corbett Carmichael of Verona, Ala. Mrs. Corbett and Mrs. Spence are sisters.

A recent house guest of Miss Dorothy Kidd was Mrs. Ben Miguel of Groveland. She is the former Christine Gaffney of this city. Spending Saturday with the R. W. Kidders was Mr. Kidd's nephew Robert Heatley of Midland, Mich. With him was Dudley Chamberlain also of Midland.

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Glade High School. She was a member of this year's graduation class and active in the Home Ed. Pep Club and Rain-bow Girls.

Mr. Norman was a well known member of the football team for the past two seasons. After a wedding trip to Carolina the young couple are now at home at 3735 Lakewood Dr. in Augusta, Ga., where Mr. Norman is employed. Mrs. Norman is attending the Richmond Academy School.

STORK SHOWER HONORS MRS. LEE BERRYHILL
 The home of Mrs. Russell Tucker was the setting last Friday night for a stork shower honoring Mrs. Lee Berryhill. Serving as co-hostesses for the social with Tucker were Mrs. F. C. Schoenfeld and Mrs. John Schoenfeld.

Games were played with prizes going to Mrs. David Motes and Mrs. Barnes Smith. Gifts for Mrs. Berryhill were placed in twin baby carriages decorated with pink and blue crepe paper.

Refreshments of frozen fruit salad, cookies and coffee were served buffet style from a lace covered table, which featured as a centerpiece mixed flowers of various shades of pink in a crystal bowl. White tapers in the crystal holders completed the table appointments.

Attending were Mrs. Guy Wood, Mrs. Ed Lively, Mrs. S. K. Smith, Jr., Mrs. R. Y. Creech, Jr., Mrs. Fred Raulerson, Mrs. Howard Hagen, of West Palm Beach, mother of Mrs. Berryhill, Mrs. Barnes Smith, Mrs. Jean Motes, Mrs. David Motes, and Mrs. Verne Boots.

ALTAR SOCIETY PLANS DESSERT BRIDGE PARTY

A dessert bridge will be held on Saturday afternoon, January 24 at 1 p.m. at the Edelweiss, according to plans made by members of St. Philip's Altar Society at a meeting held Tuesday night at the church. Mrs. David Questel is general chairman for the party, with Mrs. R. E. Howard chairing of the sale of tickets. Priced at \$1.00 tickets may be obtained from any member of the society. Each group is asked to make up its own table and provide cards for its group.

The meeting opened with prayer given by the Rev. F. James Keogh. Mrs. E. A. McCabe, president of the Altar Society, presided over the business session.

The group voted to sponsor the Mothers' March on Polio on March 31. Mrs. Imogene Fontaine will be in charge of the drive.

Owing to the resignation of Mrs. August Kirchman, treasurer, Mrs. J. N. Paff, vice president of the Society, was appointed by the president to that position and Mrs. David Questel in turn was appointed to the vice presidency.

Members attending included Mrs. J. N. Paff, Mrs. Carl Lock, Mrs. William Gressinger, Mrs. Robert Gressinger, Mrs. John Tabit, Mrs. E. A. McCabe, Mrs. Mary Fox, Mrs. Imogene Fontaine, Mrs. Charles Fontaine, Mrs. Ted Roman, Mrs. Thomas P. Baker, Mrs. Vern Jones, Mrs. Vernon Dexter, Mrs. R. E. Howard, Mrs. David Questel, Mrs. E. W. Brammer, Mrs. R. A.

NEWS VIEWS

By E. D. A. DOUG

Maybe this isn't the right time of year to talk about it, but a favorite item during the winter is the "Pinning the donkey's tail" contest. As far back as the early 1900s, when I have used it intensively and even had the contest myself, I have found it to be a most interesting and profitable game. It is a game that can be played by anyone, and it is a game that can be played anywhere. It is a game that can be played by anyone, and it is a game that can be played anywhere. It is a game that can be played by anyone, and it is a game that can be played anywhere.

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Cameron, Mrs. Grace Wilson, Mrs. Charles Henry, Mrs. Dick Johnson, Mrs. J. A. Pike, Mrs. Ernest Amedee, Mrs. Peter LaChance, Mrs. Joe Murphy, Mrs. S. Zywicki and Mrs. Bob Muller. Mrs. Joan Dietele was welcomed into the group as a new member.

MRS. PARRISH HOSTESS TO BETA SIGMA PHI
 Owing to a lack of a quorum, no business matters could be passed upon at a recent meeting of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority held at the home of Mrs. Clyde Parks.

Plans were made for young women interested in helping with hearing tests of students in the third through sixth grades of schools around this end of the lake to meet with Mrs. Frances Scott this past Tuesday night.

The program on "Preparing A Talk" was entertainingly presented by Mrs. Louis Kirchman and Mrs. Earl Lindrose.

During the social hour which followed the meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses to the Mesdames Francis Cross, Howard Payne, Hilda Morgan, Milton Carpenter, Earl Lindrose, Tom Chappell, Paige Choate, E. F. McAllister, Basil Cook, Lorenz Connell, Louis Kirchman, Harold Zumpf, Vernon Dexter and Clyde Clayton.

PATSY PRESCOTT PARTIED SATURDAY

In celebration of her seventh birthday, Patsy Prescott, daughter of Mrs. P. F. Prescott, entertained several of her friends at her home last Saturday afternoon.

The young folks played games and the honoree opened her pretty gifts.

A birthday cake iced in white and topped with seven candles was served with ice cream to the guests, who received baskets of candies as favors.

Attending were Judy Green, Gary High, Sandra and David Bracken, Butch, Gloria Jean Cooper, Margaret Townsend, Joan Berryhill, Joyce and Sue Morris, Jeanette Whitaker, Nancy Norman, Maria, Alma Cook, Steve and Farrell Kaufman, Charles Lutz, Barbara Jean Dees, Stanley Burt, Linda and Carol McSwain, Gail, Jimmy and Helen Sullivan.

JUDY AMEDEE NINE YEARS OLD

A party honoring her ninth birthday was given last Saturday afternoon for Judy Amedee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Amedee by her parents. Mrs. Amedee was assisted by Mrs. Brammer, Mrs. Charles Seale, and Mrs. Garner Parrish.

Games were played under the supervision of Jackie Amedee with Norma Jean Wheeler and Denny Brammer awarded prizes in the "Pinning the donkey's tail" contest.

Each guest was presented with a basket of candy for a favor. Enjoying the pink and white iced birthday cake, ice cream, soft drinks and candy were Mickey McCabe, Gloria Smith, Linda Rubin, Penny and Peggy Carlton, Norma Jean Wheeler, Charles Seale, Jimmy Hubner, Buddy and Dennis Brammer, Ernest, Jr. and Sharon Amedee.

Baptist Hear Of Chinese Mission

"Can 400 million peoples of the earth be converted into the Christian scheme of things?" Dr. J. T. Williams, Lakeland Bible Institute, who spent 15 years as a Baptist Missionary in China, thinks not.

Dr. Williams, who filled the pulpit at the First Baptist Church Sunday, does not believe Christianity will die in China, though Communism is considered the worst dictatorship the world has ever known, even then the rule of Nero. Dr. Williams stated several important reasons for this: (1) Christ was promised to be with his disciples to the end of the world (Matthew 18:20); (2) Christianity has survived other persecutions of dictatorship governments; (3) The Holy Bible has been translated into the Chinese language.

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to come when we may get back. In the meantime, the great power of prayer can be used by all Christian people of the world."

"MODERN SAMARITANS" IS METHODIST TOPIC

A program entitled "Modern Samaritans" was presented Tuesday night at the monthly meeting of the W.S.C.S. Community Methodist Church, held at the church. Mrs. F. C. Dooley had charge of the presentation and was assisted by Mrs. Herbert Beck, Mrs. Doro McWhorter, Mrs. Russell Tucker and Mrs. M. M. Sablston.

As the devotional topic, Mrs. Clarence Kiddler chose "Christian Stewardship In Deed and Truth."

At the conclusion of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed with Mrs. Curtis Thompson and Mrs. K. S. Smith, Jr. serving refreshments to the Mesdames and Family.

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Stocks	5,000.00		
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SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

Mrs. L. H. Rosendahl and sons, Ronnie and Stevie, of Naples visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Armstrong at Bean City for several days last week.

Mrs. Mark Challancin, president of the South Bay Parent-Teacher Association, gave her report of the State Convention at Lakeland at the Belle Glade

Parent Teacher Association Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Prevatte, Sharon and Jannelle, have returned home from a three day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson in Oakland Park.

Miss Hazel Prevatte and father, J. P. Prevatte of Bean City, were in Tampa as house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hatcher and family.

Carroll Warren left for Macomb, Ga. over the week end to bring Mrs. Warren and children

home from a visit with her mother, Mrs. C. J. White and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Chester Beebe of Niagara Falls, N. Y. were the Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. Nicola Di Stefano in Lake Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McClung of Fort Wayne, Alabama, who are wintering in Belle Glade, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robertson in Lake Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Boynton Giddens of Newcastle, Maine arrived Monday to spend the winter with Mrs. Giddens J. Barstow.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Miller, Billy, Sue and Charles of Okeechobee City visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Barnes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kelsow have taken the Dawson cottage formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McLeod.

Mrs. Kate Dorritt who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. L. O. Ratley and Mrs. O. H. Martin for the last month, left for her home in Montgomery, Ala. the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Clark and family of Tampa were called here by the tragic death of her brother Jack Challancin.

LAKE HARBOR HOME CLUB INSTALLS OFFICERS

Officers for the ensuing year were installed at the Lake Harbor Woman's Home Demonstration Club, meeting in the Methodist Church Friday afternoon.

Mrs. John D. Hemphill opened the meeting with the Home Makers Creed. Mrs. H. D. Merriam acted as installing officer.

Those installed were Mrs. H. C. McClure, president; Mrs. Marvin Lee, vice-president; Mrs. Roy Layfield, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. D. Hemphill, council delegate.

Mrs. McClure took the chair for the business and program session. It was mutually agreed by club members to request instruction in judging of clothes, baking and flowers.

Miss Sara Horton, home demonstration agent, presented an interesting and informative demonstration in the use of color as well as nutrition in planning and serving the family meals.

Mrs. Hemphill, hostess for the afternoon, served light refreshments.

METHODIST YOUTH MEET AT LAKE HARBOR

The Methodist Youth Fellowship Sub-district met at the Lake Harbor Methodist Church Tuesday evening.

Miss Patricia Weaver was in charge of the worship program. Miss Aileen Hemphill and Miss Jennie Robertson assisting.

A short business session was conducted followed by group recreation. Rev. Roy of Canal Point led the group in games appropriate for large groups to the enjoyment of all.

Refreshments were served by the Lake Harbor Youth Fellowship to delegates from Clewiston, Belle Glade and Canal Point.

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Matsuiak, South Bay, announce the birth of an 8 lb. 14 oz. son, William John, at the Clewiston Hospital on Monday, January 5. Mrs. Matsuiak was before her marriage, Miss Pauline Blackwell.

SUSAN ALLEN HAS SIXTH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. W. C. Allen, South Bay, entertained at a children's party Tuesday, honoring her granddaughter, Susan Allen on her sixth birthday.

Mrs. Clayton Waters and Mrs. Berline Walker assisted with the entertainment of the little folks and the refreshments.

Ice cream and cake were served to Susan Allen, Carolyn and Wayne Bennett, Edwin Walker, Juanita and Stanley Burns, Ray and Gail Sullivan, Larry Bowen, John Evans, Susan Wierenga, Neil Walker, Gary Walker.

ENGINE HENDERSON HAS 16TH BIRTHDAY

Eugene Henderson was complimented recently at a party celebrating his 16th birthday. His mother, Mrs. J. A. Henderson, and sister, Mrs. Yancey Smith, were hostesses at the Smith home in Lake Harbor.

The young people were entertained with games and contests and served with soft drinks to Norman Hunt, Jack Hemphill, Connie Perkins, Raymond and Leland Plank, Jeff Thomas, Laura Mae and Bertha Haulcomb, all of Lake Harbor, and Gene Baringer and Junior Collins of Belle Glade.

South Bay Studies Time, Heat, Drink

The City Hall in South Bay received as a Christmas gift from Councilman J. L. Brown a new Seth Thomas electric clock, which the office personnel are now enjoying.

Before the installation of the clock, City Clerk Mrs. Mabel Barstow was using the sun shadow on the front steps as a sun dial to tell her when it was time to go to lunch. "When the sun didn't shine, it was just too bad," she said.

Council Session

The South Bay City Council at their session last week took further measures to secure a heating unit for the City Hall, which presently has no heating facilities.

They also instituted the office of Police R. C. White to advertise for bids on a trade-in of the city tractor for a new machine.

The City Clerk was instructed to investigate the Blue Cross group insurance plan for city employees.

Liquor Proposal

A proposed ordinance to extend hours for the sale of alcoholic beverages met with heated protests by a group of citizens who attended the council session. Because of their opposition, action on the proposed ordinance was postponed until the next council session, so that the public will have opportunity to express opinions on the subject.

ARTHUR HILL CAR OVERTURNS FRIDAY

Andrew Hill, 51 of Belle Glade, had a narrow escape Friday afternoon when he lost control of his car on Davis Bend, SR 80, just at the western city limits of South Bay, and landed in a roadside ditch. He "was shaken up by a blow on the head, elbow, and legs, but not seriously hurt. His passenger was uninjured.

TEEN AGE DRIVING

(Continued from Page One) Chief should stop those individuals he feels are violating their restrictive licenses and take up the licenses, and if the drivers are found guilty of such violations, the parents should be arrested.

Frank V. Stevenson, telling of his own driving experiences from early days onward, said that children in the fourteen to sixteen year age group should be given proper instructions through a planned program of education enabling them to be good and thoughtful drivers.

With this idea, both Frank Hobson, school principal, and Chief

Goodlett concurred. Others participating on the program included Mrs. Jane Rashley, safety chairman, Coach Hector Ouellette, sponsor of the School Patrol, who thanked the group for buying badges and bolts for the boys, Carl Williams, police patrolman on duty in the school areas before and after

classes. Coach Ouellette also called upon several of the patrol boys to tell the audience how drivers might better cooperate with them in the execution of their duties.

A report on the state PTA convention held recently at Lakeland was given by Mrs. Mark Challancin of South Bay. She

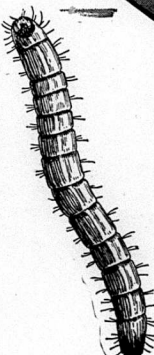
said delegates agreed that in order to attract teachers of high calibre, salaries must be made attractive.

Volunteers were asked to sew at the hospital during the month of January. The group voted to accept the following recommendations of the executive board: underwrite

the Christmas program over the amount allowed in the music budget; furnish \$50 for elementary school art supplies; furnish \$25 for elementary school supplies; buy a \$5 T.B. Bond; buy banners for the home room count winners.

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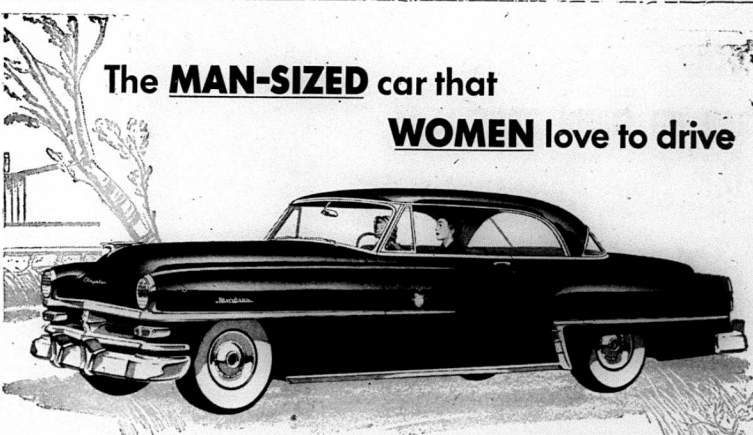
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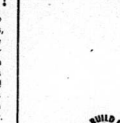
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CHURCHES OF GOD TO HOLD CAMP MEETINGS

The Churches of God in the Okeechobee district are sponsoring a district camp meeting being held Monday evening, Jan. 19. Meetings will be held at the Community Center of the housing project just south of Pahokee on the Belle Glade road.

Services each evening throughout the week Jan. 19-24 will begin at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Doyle Franklin of Perry, Fla., will be chief speaker.

According to Rev. G. D. Prince, pastor of the local Church of all faiths have a special invitation to attend. "plenty of good gospel singing, and special singing. All people of all faiths have a special invitation to attend."

Rev. I. F. Rogers, Okeechobee pastor, will be in charge, with all the Churches of God around the lake cooperating for the success of the meetings.

PAR-TEE-LINE

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Ladies Golf team will compete with Ft. Pierce golfers in an inter-city match, with Belle Glade going to Ft. Pierce at a date to be announced later. Now golfers are sure you can beat them if you want to, we do have some very good golfers on our team!

We are very happy to have Zelma Betner with us again.

Zelma is one of our better golfers and the team needs her. Sonny (Garnes) Smith, we are also happy to see playing again after several years absence. How many remember the time Sonny made a hole in one on number seven? He was just a kid then, he might give some of the men a little competition now. Watch out!

Rice Market Firm

Rice markets continued firm with trading seasonally firm during the week ended January 5, the Department of Agriculture reported. Rough rice markets were inactive and offerings by producers limited. Southern milled rice markets were inactive although fairly heavy shipments of earlier in the season contracts were made to the domestic trade to replenish depleted stocks. Export demand continued strong.

Prices of southern milled rice remained unchanged at ceiling levels. At Houston, No. 2 Bluebonnet, No. 2 Century Patna, and No. 2 Rexoro were quoted at \$12.00, No. 2 Zenith at \$10.75 per 100 pounds. Long grain second heads sold at \$8.50, short grain second heads at \$8.00, screenings and brewers' rice at \$7.00 per 100 pounds. Brown prices ranged from \$5.00-\$5.20 per ton. At New Orleans the rice market remained active with prices unchanged. No. 2 Rexoro, No. 2 Bluebonnet and No. 2 Century Patna were quoted at \$12.00, No. 2 Zenith at \$10.75, long grain second heads \$8.00-\$8.25, and brewers' and other broken \$7.00 per 100 pounds, f.o.b. At Stuttgart, No. 2 Rex-Ark and Bluebonnet were unchanged at \$12.00, No. 2 Zenith at \$10.75, and second heads at \$8.50 per 100 pounds.

Rice markets continued firm at the leading distributing centers with prices at ceiling levels. Most buyers were limiting purchases at lower prices quoted earlier in the season. A few new contracts providing for shipment through March have been reported. These sales were made at ceiling prices. At New York, No. 1 Rexoro and No. 1 Bluebonnet were quoted at \$13.50, No. 1 Zenith \$12.15, long grain second heads \$9.75, short grain second heads \$8.25, and brewers' \$8.00 per 100 pounds, ex-warehouse.

56 STUDENTS VISIT EXPERIMENT STATION

Fifty-five boys and one girl student, with three agriculture professors of the University of Florida, were visitors at Everglades Experiment Station last Friday and Saturday, where they made the rounds under the guidance of Frank V. Stevenson, associate plant pathologist.

The visitors also heard talks by other station staff members, including Dr. W. T. Forsee, Jr., chemist in charge; Dr. A. E. Kretschmer, assistant chemist; R. W. Hatcher, associate animal husbandman; J. W. Randolph, agricultural engineer; Emil Wolf, assistant horticulturist; Dr. Victor Green, assistant agronomist; and R. J. Allen, assistant agronomist.

Visits to Duda's farm, Tabitha's, and the Glades Livestock Market were also arranged for the students, who on Friday evening gathered at City Hall for a program on soil and water conservation, with Dr. R. V. Allison in charge.

The group are making a tour of the state, Stevenson said.

NEGRO NEWS

COUNTY P.T.A. COUNCIL MEETS

The Palm Beach County P.T.A. Council met last Saturday at Everglades Camp School, Pahokee.

Twelve schools were represented, and three principals were present. A music program was given by the Everglades Camp School glee club under the direction of Miss L. Ginton.

R. G. Gamble, principal of Booker T. Washington Junior High School, Moore Haven, was present and invited the 8th district Parent-Teacher Association to meet as guests of his local P.T.A. The date of the meeting will be Saturday, Feb. 7.

P.T.A. president Daisy M. Murrell urged all P.T.A. organizations in the district to send representatives to this meeting when officers will be elected for the 1953-54 term.

Membership reports were made by P.T.A. units, who revealed that a 50 percent increase in membership is the goal set for all schools.

After a welcoming speech by Miss M. Edgecombe on behalf of the local P.T.A. and faculty, the meeting was adjourned.

The next council meeting will be held on March 7. Annual Convention Set at West Palm. The annual convention of Colored Florida Congress of Colored

Parents and Teachers will be held at Roosevelt High School, 1600 North Tamarind Ave., West Palm Beach, on February 19-20-21.

The convention will be guests of religious, civic, and fraternal organizations, and city and county P.T.A. councils.

Outstanding guest speakers will be heard, and discussions conducted on the workshop, in structure periods, new trends in rural education, city organizations, and schools.

State president, Elizabeth M. Ezy and the program committee have planned a program appropriate to "one of the best seasons" ever to be held by the congress.

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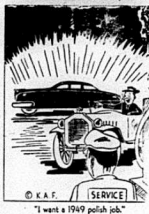
Vocational High

Basketball Game
Everglades Vocational High Bobcats played their second basketball game of the season Friday night, when they met the Roosevelt High Maroon Devils.

The E.V.H. lasses defeated the Roosevelt High lasses 44-37. The Bobcats were led by Ernest Jordan who tossed in 36 points. This was the second win for E.V.H.

E.V.H. boys lost a hard fought game when they began to tire

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late in the third quarter. Too much reserve and experience took their toll and the boys went down in defeat 68-34.

The E.V.H. Basketball team traveled to Ft. Pierce on Monday night, January 12, and entertained Pompano at its home court on Wednesday night, January 14.

M. E. Green, Reporter.

Mrs. Daisy Murrell
National Art Chairman

At a recent meeting of the Executive Board of the NACW in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Daisy M. Murrell, of Belle Glade, was appointed national arts and crafts chairman for the National Association of Colored Women, Inc. at Granview Park College, Des Moines, Iowa, and Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

An extensive program is being planned for the art department for Florida. For the past

three years, she has been art chairman of the Florida State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; art chairman for the Southeastern Region Federation of Colored Women's Clubs; art chairman of the Florida Congress of Colored Parents and Teachers Association; and is now serving as art chairman of the Orange Blossom Recreation Association.

During Mrs. Murrell's administration in club work, Florida has held its number-one place in the state, regional, and national art exhibits of the NACW, at Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa, advanced study in art at Granview Park College, Des Moines, Iowa, and Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

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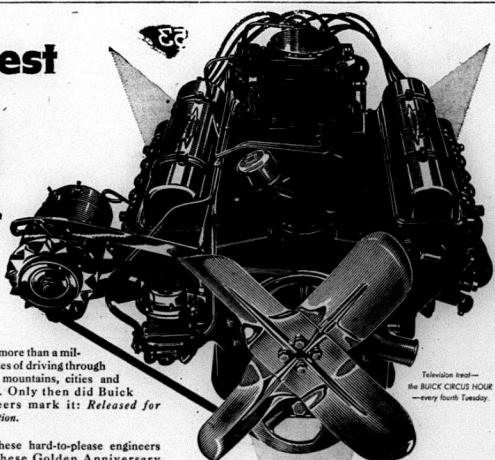
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LOCAL NATURALIST

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Two new members, Mrs. W. J. Rawls and Mrs. Alice Mixon, were voted in.
A report was given on the

Junior Club work by Mrs. Irvin Zumpff. Mrs. Harold Riedel told of the scrapbook of newspaper clippings which will be used for a state report.
Mrs. Clarence Aspey an-

nounced a rummage sale will be held tomorrow and a card party in the near future.
The flower show has been set for March 26 and 27 with the place to be announced at a later date.

In the African Violet specimen contest Mrs. John Gledhill took first place with Mrs. Irvin Zumpff and Mrs. Lennie Warren in second and third places respectively. The "Arrangement for a Baby" winners were Mrs. Donald Kirchman, Mrs. R. Y. Creech, Sr., and Mrs. Herbert Beck.

Mrs. Irvin Zumpff, Mrs. Walter Hooker, Mrs. George Todder, Mrs. A. L. Whidden and Mrs. F. L. Harris served refreshments to Mrs. Harry Peters, Mrs. Elizabeth Hoyer, Mrs. R. Y. Creech, Jr., Mrs. George Wedgworth, Mrs. Ivan Van Horn, Mrs. E. L. Holladay, Mrs. Luther Jones, Mrs. James Porter Halbrook, Mrs. Lennie Warren, Mrs. Johnny Robinson, Mrs. Donald Kirchman, Mrs. Bert Hoppson, Mrs. C. J. Aspey, Mrs. Ralph Kirk, Mrs. Thomas Bruegger, Mrs. R. Y. Creech, Sr., Mrs. George Farnall, Mrs. D. C. De Haven, Mrs. H. L. Royals, Mrs. C. A. Bailey, Mrs. Roy Blair, Mrs. R. E. Hotard and Mrs. G. R. Townsend.

made of sand and melted paraffin. Melt paraffin in coffee can, stir thick with dry sand. Pour into well greased jelly glass or old cup. Don't use plastic. Make about 1" thick. Turn out on waxed paper when set, but not cold, and make incising holes with pointed pencil or stick. Turn over and complete holes on under side. Cool until hard.

2. In an upright container fill 2/3 full of moist sand to hold flowers in place.

3. Needlepoint holders are most practical but are fairly expensive.

4. Crumpled chicken wire is satisfactory — never use in clear container.

5. A forked "Y" stick wedged into top of upright container will hold branches and flowers in place.

Holder in Container
1. Fasten to bottom of dry container with modelling clay, few drops of melted candle or paraffin. Container and holder must be dry. To conceal holder modelling clay may be molded around base.

Containers
1. Try to use the right container—plain, simple and of neutral color.

2. Container may be any material.

Conditioning the Material
1. Have a general idea of what you'll need for your arrangement before you start to cut.

2. Cut flowers and foliage in early morning or just before dark.

3. Cut more than you think you'll need.

4. Take pail of water with you when you cut.

5. Make slanting cut.

6. Soak flowers—overnight so that only flower heads are above water.

7. Soak leaves and branches overnight so they are completely covered with water.

8. When cutting bleeding material, poinsettias, Florida gardenias, lilies, etc., burn the cut stems with candle flame.

9. Remove all foliage that will be under the water in the arrangement.

Making the Arrangement
1. Line is the basic factor of good design.

2. The three main lines of the design are called Heaven, Man and Earth.

3. Select three main stems, such as sansevieria leaves, blades of grass, palmato leaflets, croton, canna, loquat or gladiolus leaves.

A. The longest leaf (Heaven) generally is 1 1/2 times the length of your container (if a shallow container), or 1 1/2 times the height of your container (if your container is upright), plus the depth of the container.

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C. The 3rd leaf (Earth) generally is 1/2 length of 2nd (Man) line.

4. Securely place Heaven line in center of holder to the back of bowl.

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(These three lines should be close together in the holder to seem to be growing from one point.)

7. Now with the three main lines securely in place you are ready to add a little interest or focal point to your arrangement. Focal points are usually made of round, bright, dark (heavier) flowers placed toward the front and bottom part of your arrangement, and smaller, lighter flowers or buds are used at the outer edges of the arrangement. Save the best, brightest, heaviest flowers for the focal point or center of interest.

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9. After arrangement is completed fill container with water.

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Activities of Glades Scouts

Routine matters occupied most of the meeting time for Girl Scout Central Committee members who held their regular January business session at the Girl Scout Hut on Wednesday, Jan. 7, at 10:30 a.m. Mrs. A. B. McCormick, chairman of the group, presided.

Mrs. McCormick said she had been promised a number of nail kegs, some of which can be used for waste baskets, and others when "dressed up" with ruffled tops, can be used as stools.

Twenty-two girls took part in the caroling on Dec. 22. They were afterward served cookies and cocoa at the Scout Hut by committee members and leaders instead of at the American Legion Hall by American Legion Auxiliary members as originally planned.

Mrs. Matthews said that the girls in her and Mrs. Wright's troop wish to be responsible for the laundering, repairing and hanging of the draperies after the interior of the Hut is painted.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. Fred White, Mrs. Cully Collins, Mrs. Urban Fehling, Mrs. W. D. Matthews, Mrs. Gary Arnold, Mrs. A. M. McCormick and Mrs. R. J. Allen, Jr.

The 10 and 11 year old Scouts at a recent meeting spent most of their time in the Park identifying 6 trees and 6 flowers.

When they returned to the Hut they made plans for their next meeting.

The girls were led in the Scout pledge by Marilyn Matthews and Paula Carlson called the roll and collected dues. The leaders Mrs. Jay Wright and Mrs. W. D. Matthews were present for the meeting.

Mrs. Russell Tucker read the Brownie story to her 7 year old group at last week's meeting. Games were also played by the girls with Mrs. Fred Raulerson assistant leader helping Mrs. Tucker with the supervision.

Members attending included Margo Averill, Sandra Bracken, Maryann Collins, Deane Carden, Karen Hubner, Mary Prevatt, Mary Lou Raulerson, Priscilla Stoner, Margaret Thames, Sharon Tabb, Pat Webster, Barbara Wolf, Joan Wright, Susan Zumpff, Ann Louise Bowers, Pat Wilkinson, Francis Ball, Cynthia Clayton, Vicki Hollingsworth. Sandra Gilson was a visitor.

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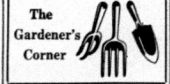
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